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Mushers such as local Rachel Wannamaker, pictured here in Dec. 2014, will no longer have the opportunity to race at Rosebud Park.

Sleddog society ceasing operations

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

The Rosebud Run Sleddog Society has decided to cease operations effective May 31.

The decision was made at a society board meeting on Jan. 12.

Bill Windsor, president of the society, said the decision was made following several instances of abuse race volunteers received from racers at the December 2014 Rosebud Run race. He said those instances followed up on previous abuse volunteers had received during previous races.

meeting of town council last week, Windsor informed council members of the society's decision.

"This seems to be a culture of the (musher) com-munity," he said. "It's almost universal that it's accepted. We couldn't do it any longer. It's unfortu-

nate but that's the way it's gone."

In an interview, Windsor said volunteers were greatly impacted by the abuse, some losing sleep

over the incidents.

There were some incidents leading up to the (December 2014) races and at the races in December where the mushers were disrespectful and abusive of the volunteers. There had been incidents (previous to December 2014) but it was particularly harsh this time," he said.

Windsor said in light of the fact that the society has been operating for almost 10 years, it was a difficult decision for the board members to make

"The difficulty is that the people involved in this thoroughly enjoyed putting on this event for the people who appreciated it. But it was unfair to those same people that were putting this thing on, that were put in awkward positions where they were unable to sleep and unable to eat for days because of the treatment they were receiving. It just isn't an acceptable treatment of our volunteers," he said.

"It is disappointing that the community is losing

this event. However, what would be a real shame is

if we allowed the disrespect ... to continue."

Locally, Windsor said the closing of the trails will

a negative impact on society members who used the facility. For others however, Winsdor said they will benefit from the trails being closed, because will now have access to Rosebud Park that they didn't have before, because it was being used by mushers.

Windsor said he's not sure what the impact will be for the racers who came to the Rosebud Run for several years. Windsor said he knows of three other races in Western Canada that have also discontinued in recent years due to the same issue. A race in Elkford, B.C. discontinued a few years ago, as did a race in Grande Prairie, and the Bootleg Sled Dog races in Kimberley, B.C.

Windsor said every community that holds a race must find plenty of volunteers who are passionate about the sport. But it's becoming more difficult to find volunteers if they see their efforts not being appreciated. About 50 volunteers came out to help with more recent races at Rosebud Park, while in the past, Windsor said more people helped out race organizers



Local woman raises about \$2,300 for Huntington's disease

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Kim Rauhala got her hair cut last yeek after raising about \$2,300 for the Huntington's Society of Canada.

The local woman had been growing

her hair for about the past four years. At the end of November 2014, she decided to raise funds for the Huntington's soci-

ety due to her mother and numerous other relatives having the neurological disease. She got her hair cut on Jan. 28, her mother's birthday.

Because of Rauhala's volunteer involvement at Westglen School, principal Carolyn Massel said she agreed to let Rauhala have a large ponytail cut at the school in front of the students. Rauhala is active on the parent coun-



Logan Rauhala cuts off his mother Kim's ponytail at Westglen School last week. Rauhala raised about \$2,300 to benefit Huntington's disease.

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cil and volunteers whenever she can at the school that two of her children

"She always fills in the gap when we need someone. We really appreciate her," Massel said.

After getting her locks chopped, Rauhala said she got good community support since making her effort known. A silent auction was held and numerous people in the community donated to the cause either in person or online.

"I was hoping to raise about \$500 and I've more than done that, so people were really generous," Rauhala said. "Especially before Christmas, I didn't expect people to be so generous, but they've been amazing. It went over way better than I thought."

Rauhala donated her lopped locks to 360 Hair, a Langley, B.C. organization that makes wigs from natural hair for cancer patients.

DIDSBURY MINOR HOCKEY PLAYER SPOTLIGHTS

ATOM: Doran Shultz Age: 10 Position: Left Wing



Doran likes to play soccer, draw and go on the golf cart. His favorite movie is Dumb & Dumber and he likes to eat pizza.

ATOM: Ransom Rock

Age: 9



Ransom likes the Toronto Maple Leafs. His favorite sports are hockey, lacrosse and football. He also likes the song Beat on the Brat by the Ramones.

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DIDSBURY MINOR HOCKEY PLAYER SPOTLIGHTS

NOVICE: Chase Aarsby

Age: 8 Position: Forward/Defence



Chase loves video games & dinosaurs. His favorite food is steak and he likes The Simpsons Movie. His favorite NHL player is Patrick Kane #88.

NOVICE: Dax Walker Age: 6 Position: Centre



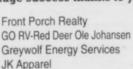
Dax's favorite sport is hockey. He likes the color red, pizza and his favorite hockey team is the Didsbury Ramblers.

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Police briefs

Safe taken from landfill

Didsbury RCMP received a report that sometime between Jan. 23 at 4:30 p.m. and Jan. 24 at 8 a.m. a suspect or suspects cut the lock off the gate at the Didsbury landfill site and stole a safe from the office.

Cash register found smashed

RCMP received a report on Jan. 27 at 10 a.m. that an old cash register was found smashed near a business on the 1200 block of 18th Avenue. The register was turned over to the RCMP who are attempting to find the owner of the machine.

Theft from vehicle

RCMP received a report that a 60-centimetre light bar was stolen from the grille of a white Chevrolet pickup truck. The truck was parked on West Highland Crescent in Carstairs sometime between Jan. 28 at 9:30 p.m. and 8:30 a.m. the following day. Police say the value of the stolen item is about \$800. There are no suspects.



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Richardson runs for PC nomination

BY DOUG COLLIE MVP Staff

Two people have now indicated interest in running for the Progressive nomination in the Olds-Didsbury To Didsbury-Three Hills riding



Ron Richardson announced Friday, Jan. 30 that he's interested in running for the Progressive Conservative party nominaton in the Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills riding.

The latest person to announce interest in the race is former Mountain County councillor Ron Richardson, who announced his interest on

Friday, Jan. 30. Both Richardson and Olds councillor Wade Bearchell have now indicated interest in the job.

At the time this story went to press, it was unclear if Bruce Rowe, the former Wildrose the former Wildrose party MLA for the riding will run for the nomina-tion. He crossed the floor to sit as a PC this past December.

Richardson earlier aid that he had to consult with his wife before determining whether to run again.

Richardson, 56, he's lived in the Eagle Hill area outside Olds all his life and has played hocketc., in Olds.

Richardson sees this as his chance to once again contribute to the commu-

When asked what experience he has that would qualify him to be a member of the legislative assembly (MLA),

Richardson said he's done everything from farming to working in construction and serving county councillor (2001-

He also ran against former Wild Rose member of Parliament Myron Thompson in the late '90s.

'I just want to get behind (Premier) Jim Prentice and help him because I think he's on the right track," Richardson said.

We must be prudent in the way we spend tax dollars and develop longterm planning to bring stability to the up and down revenues that are known to all Albertans, he said in a news release

He believes the five er cent pay cut taken by Prentice and his cabinet was the right move, although he said he had been thinking previously they could have taken a 10 per cent cut.

Richardson was asked what he could do for the riding, if elected.

"I'm not going to make promises I can't keep," he

However, he said, think I can make a difference. When I was a county councillor I was involved with getting the new building built and people said that would never get done but we

"I know it was pretty unpopular at the time, but in hindsight it was a good move, because building costs were very low. If we had waited, it would have been double or triple the money to do that.

He backed the controversial decision to build the new county building and still stands by that decision today. Richardson says that's an example of his willingness to back what he feels the right decision for the community, even if it might be unpopular.

Richardson and his wife Heidi have been married for 27 years. They have three daughters.

He says now is the right

time to re-enter politics because his daughters are now young adults.



Councillors raise electricity franchise fee

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Council members raised the FortisAlberta franchise fee to 17 per cent at their meeting on Jan. 27.

The new rate will take effect in January 2016. The current rate is 12.5 per cent.

The franchise fee allows municipalities to charge utility companies such as FortisAlberta a fee for allowing those companies to install their infrastruacture on town land or for the exclusive right to provide distribua municipality. tion access service within

capped at 20 per cent. FortisAlberta in turn

flows that fee on to customers in Didsbury who are charged the fee on their monthly bills.

In a briefing note council members, Christofer Atchison, the town's manager of legislative services, said that because the upcoming provincial budget may be negatively impacted by low oil prices, the provincial government may discontinue the Municipal Sustainability Initiative program which municipalities use to fund infrastructure projects.

But by raising the fran-chise fee, some of that money that usually comes from the MSI grant could be offset by the increase in revenue from franchise fees. If the MSI program continues, an increase in franchise fee revenue could be allocated to

amortization.
Atchison also pointed out that franchise fees impact everyone, includ-ing schools and churches, which don't pay property taxes. Because of everyone paying franchise fees, those who do pay prop-erty taxes benefit, as they pay lower taxes than if there were no franchise

"This is the right way to push for alternative energy," Coun. Sheila Shulz

Councillors McCoy and Garth Hollinger, however, said they thought raising the rates substantially would impact consumers negatively. Hollinger said with all expenses rising slightly, residents are being squeezed.

"It's all the little things," he said.

With the franchise fee set at 12.5 per cent, the town collected \$258,800 in electricity franchise fees in 2014.

If councillors would have set the rate at the maximum of 20 per cent, the town could expect to take in an additional \$155,280 more than it did in 2014. With the rate at 17 per cent, administrators estimate the town could in an additional \$93,168 more than it did in 2014.

Councillors defeated a motion to set the rate at 20 per cent. A motion put forward by Shulz to educate the public on ways they can save on energy costs such as weather

efficient windows and other measures, was also



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is Wednesday, Feb. 11 at 5 p.m.

MATERIAL DEADLINE is Feb. 12 at noon.



Colts split last two home games of regular season

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Mountainview Colts split the last two games of their 2014-15 Heritage Junior Hockey League home schedule on the weekend.

The Colts lost 4-1 to the north division's leading team, the Blackfalds Wranglers, on Jan. 31, while beating the north division's seventhplace team, the Ponoka Stampeders, the previ-ous night 7-4. The Colts square off against the Airdrie Thunder in the last game of the season on Feb. 6 to decide second place in the divi-

On Jan. 31 against the Wranglers, the Colts got off to an unlucky start in the first period, hitting a few posts while the Wranglers capitalized on three chances to take a 3-0 lead.

ued for the Colts during the remainder of the game. Whenever they got possession of the puck the Wranglers managed to thwart most offensive attempts. When the Colts did get a shot off, they either hit iron, missed the net or Wrangler goaltender Kyle Baumgardner made the save.

In the second period, ne two teams traded goals, while the goalten-ders blanked the third period. The Wranglers had a narrow 38-34 edge in shots during the course of the game.

Captain Jason Edwards said following the game that Blackfalds is a tough team to contend with.

"We had a couple good chances, we just couldn't capitalize on them. We hit a couple of posts and it would have been nice if those

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the teams' game at the Didsbury Memorial Arena on Jan. 31. would have gone in, but we played all right in the third. We just couldn't get the bounces we needed," he said.

Brent Youngs, the team's assistant coach, said the game was fairly close one despite the score.

"We had a lot of good chances. We probably had five goal posts ... if any one of those would have (gone) in it would have changed the whole

momentum of the game. so we didn't get any of the breaks we needed. I really think we out-chanced them, we just came up on the short end," he said.

Edwards said he hopes the team can get a better start against the Thunder than it has had in the last few games. It would be a good way to go into the playoffs if the Colts can finish in

'We've been slow off the start the last couple of weeks, so hopefully ... we can have a good first period and get on a roll going into the play-offs," he said.

Against Stampeders on Jan. 30, the Colts took a 4-3 lead into the third period after a scoreless first. Cole Sutherland, Tyson Schmidt, Jacob Vander Zaag and Colton the Colts in the middle frame while Anderson also got his second of the game in the third period. Shane Bosomworth potted two in 23 seconds in the third to seal the victory.

Edwards said be thought the team could have gotten a more goals against the Stampeders, but Colts' goaltender Jake Carlson was up to the task, stopping 24 of 28 shots.



Mountainview Colts player Jason Edwards falls to the ice after attempting a shot on the Blackfalds Wranglers goaltender during

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February 5, 12, 19, 26

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February 3

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February 25

Coffee & Converation at the Didsbury Museum 1:00 to 3:30 pm. Matt Piller from the Pengrowth Plant in Olds will be here to describe their role in our

Central Alberta Pregnancy Care Centre in Olds celebrates its first auniversary with a silent auction and banquet on MARCH 4, 2015 at the POMEROY INN & SUITES. All are welcome. RSVP olds@pregnancycare ca or call 587-796-1611 for details.

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Didsbury rink competes at provincial curling bonspiel

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

A team of five Didsbury firefighters competed last week at the Alberta Firefighter Provincial Bonspiel in Olds from Jan. 28 to Jan. 31, finishing with a record of 2-4.

The rink, skipped by Curtis Mousseau, also featured lead Dave Smith, econd Todd Paulson, third Paula Drever and alternate Patrick Milne.

Nineteen teams from around the province took part in the event, which was a preliminary bon-spiel for the Canadian Firefighters Curling Association championship to be held in Valleyfield, Que., March 19-29.

The Mousseau rink split two games on Jan. 29, lost two games on Jan. 30 and split its final two games on Jan. 31.

Mousseau said as soon as firefighters realized the competition was going to be held in Olds, a team quickly assembled for the event. A Didsbury team entered the competition last in 2003 when it was last in Olds and Curtis's father Rick played in the competition.

Mousseau said the best part of the competition was to meet other firefighters at an event not related to firefighting. He said he hopes a team will go again in the future to another competition.

"It was fun; great bunch people. Everybody's here for a good time. We'll definitely go back," he said.

Lead Dave Smith said the bonspiel was a great opportunity to meet other firefighters from across the province who also enjoy curling. He espe-cially enjoyed meeting longtime firefighters.

"I thought this was just a really great experience.

The game itself is awesome, but I think ... just seeing other curlers who are also firefighters was just awesome," he said.

"We've met other fire-fighters from Edmonton, Taber, a number of halls in Calgary. We have a lot in common," he said.

Patricia Young, a director with the Alberta Firefighters' Curling Association, said like the previous 55 annual championships, the bonspiel is

for firefighters to share a common interest - curling. Both career and volunteer firefighters are welcome at the event.

"It's for all levels of curling. It's a good way for firefighters from across the province to get together and have fun." Young

The Aaron Bartling rink from Edmonton won the A event final and will represent Alberta at the Canadian championships.



Curtis Mousseau throws a rock during the 2015 Alberta Firefighters Provincial Curling Championships at the Olds Sportsplex on Jan. 29.



Patrick Milne throws a rock

MLA Rowe mum on nomination intentions

BY LEA SMALDON MVP Staff

Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills Progressive Conservative MLA Bruce Rowe intended to tell his constituency association executive last night if he is running for nomination.

During a stop in the Carstairs area to talk to constituents on Saturday, Rowe was asked whether he will seek the nomination for his newly-adopted political party.

"I won't answer that till Monday night," Rowe

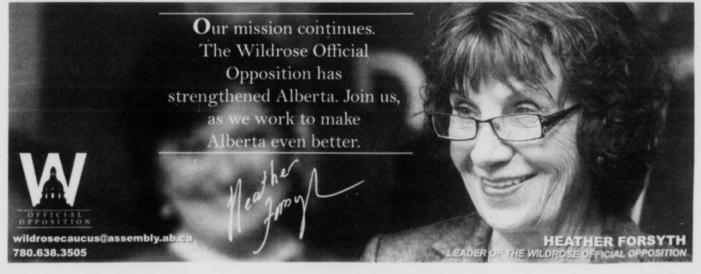
The local constituency executive planned to meet yesterday to discuss potential nomination dates.

"I can't keep quiet about this. It's not fair to other people who may be considering running. It's not fair for me not to make my position absolutely clear in a timely manner," Rowe said.

He was elected the MLA for Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills in 2012 under the Wildrose party banner. With 10,181 votes, Rowe garnered more support at the polls than any other Wildrose candidate in Alberta.

Earlier last year, he was acclaimed as the con-stituency's Wildrose candidate.





Cooper acclaimed Wildrose candidate

BY LEA SMALDON

Carstairs councillor Nathan Cooper will be the Wildrose party's Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills constitu-

ency candidate in the next provincial election.

He was acclaimed once the constituency's nominations closed Jan. 30 as he was unopposed in his bid,
according to Alex Pratt, the constituency association
president.

Cooper was out of the country and unable to be reached for comment by press time.

The official announcement of Cooper's acclamation will be made during the constituency association's annual general meeting in Olds on Feb. 28, Pratt said.

The association is gearing up for a possible spring provincial election.

"It's the signals we're getting," said Pratt, adding he gets that sense from listening to Premier Jim Prentice in the media. "Beyond his words he's saying he doesn't have a mandate."

Starting in 2012, general elections in Alberta are to be held between March 1 and May 31 every four years. That doesn't mean an election can't be held before

That doesn't mean an election can't be held before 2016, Pratt said, as it is up to the premier to decide the date of an election.

The Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills Wildrose constituency association has been working on sufficing its bylaws to have a candidate in place, he said.

Cooper is "very motivated on principle," said Pratt.

In addition to being a Carstairs councillor, the father of three serves as chief of staff for the Wildrose official Opposition in Edmonton.

"He's got a foot in the door in terms of knowledge so he's got a good foot in the door."

In announcing his candidacy for nomination, Cooper described himself as a lifelong conservative, advocating principled policies that put local families, farmers, small businesses and communities first.

"Strong families and communities are the backbone of Alberta's economy. A public official's first job is to represent the interests of local constituents, a duty I pledge to fully embrace," Cooper was quoted as saying when he announced his candidacy.

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Please submit proposals to:

Christofer Atchison PO Box 790 Didsbury AB TOM 0W0 Phone: (403) 335.3391 ext. 1118 Fax: (403) 335.9794 Email: cathchison@didsbury.ca

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SWALM

beloved husband of Eunice Swalm passed away peacefully in Didsbury on Monday, January 26th, 2015 at the age of 88 years. He is survived by Eunice, his loving wife of 63 years; son Murray (Lorrie) of Calgary; 2 daughters, Nyla (Howard) Kirbyson and Carol (Ken)

Nyla (Howard) Kirbyson and Carol (Ken) Tucker of Didsbury; 7 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren; sister Opal as well as numerous nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his infant daughter Cynthia Pearl, brother Elvern and sisters Lila, Lucille and Helen. Willard was a dearly loved husband, father, Willard was a dearly loved husband, father, grandfather, uncle, pastor and friend who led by example. He will be remembered for his life of faith and will be deeply missed by his family and the many people he mentored and befriended over the years. Funeral services were held on Saturday January 31, 2015 at the Zion Evangelical Missionary Church, Didsbury with Pastor Murray Swalm officiating. Interment was held in the Didsbury Cemetery. In light of flowers. Swalm officiating. Interment was held in the Didsbury Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial tributes may be made directly to Rivers Edge Camp, Box 39, Cremona, AB TOM 0R0. Heartland Funeral Services Ltd., Didsbury entrusted with arrangements. 403-335-4773 www.heartlandfuneralservices.com



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